



# Hope Star

WEATHER  
Arkansas—Fair, somewhat colder in east and south portions, frost Thursday night; Friday fair, rising temperature.

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## SAAR SEIZURE IS RUMORED

### Here and There

Editorial By ALEX. H. WASHBURN

SEVEN measures are on the general election ballot next Tuesday. Six are new proposals. The seventh is the 3-mill road tax, voted at every election, and which you will probably want to continue for the sake of the county's school-bus roads. On the six new measures, The Star, endeavoring to explain every public issue and take a definite stand, offers you a marked ballot in another column on this page. Five are state measures. We urge you to vote for the first two, Amendments No. 19 and No. 20. The sixth is a Hempstead county measure, the County Salary Act (Initiative Act No. 1), and we urge you to vote for that.

### Star Ballot

AMENDMENT NO. 19.  
An Amendment providing that not less than a majority of each house of the General Assembly may enact a law; that no rates of taxes may be increased except by approval of the qualified electors by a vote of three-fourths of each house of the General Assembly; that not more than two and one-half million dollars for a biennial period may be appropriated, except for certain purposes, unless by votes of three-fourths of each house of the General Assembly; that no appropriation may be made for any biennial period until the passage of the General Appropriation Bill, that neither house of the General Assembly shall incur any expense except by law.

FOR AMENDMENT NO. 19  
AGAINST AMENDMENT NO. 19

AMENDMENT NO. 20.  
An Amendment prohibiting the issuance of state bonds or other evidence of indebtedness by the state, except for certain purposes, unless by a majority vote of the qualified electors.

FOR AMENDMENT NO. 20  
AGAINST AMENDMENT NO. 20

AMENDMENT NO. 21.  
An Amendment to the Constitution providing a four-year term of office for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Auditor of State, Commissioner of State Lands, and Clerks of the Circuit Court, County Clerk, County Judges, Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriffs, Collectors of Taxes, Assessors, Coroners, County Treasurers, County Surveyors, Justices of the Peace and Constables; and to become effective January 1, 1935.

FOR AMENDMENT NO. 21  
AGAINST AMENDMENT NO. 21

ACT NO. 78.  
Referred by Referendum Petition to the State Board of Education.  
Act No. 78 of the general act of the 49th General Assembly of the State of Arkansas, approved March 6th 1933 the purpose of act number 78 is to abolish the State Board of Education as created by act No. 169 of the General Acts of the General Assembly of 1931 as amended March 25th 1933 as well as repealing sections 3, 4, 7, 8, 22, of Act No. 169 of the General Acts of the 48th General Assembly, said section (3) designating one member from each of the seven Congressional Districts (4) mandatory dates for meeting of the State Board of Education and for other purposes (5) Members of State Board of Education to serve without remuneration, (22) vesting the right to employ Commissioners of Education.

FOR ACT NO. 78  
AGAINST ACT NO. 78

ACT NO. 280.  
Referred by Referendum Petition "The Delinquent Real Estate Tax Act".  
"An Act to reduce the penalty on delinquent real estate and extend the time for the redemption thereof."

FOR ACT NO. 280  
AGAINST ACT NO. 280

County Ticket

INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1.  
An Act to fix the compensation expenses of County Officers and to fix the manner in which such compensation and salaries shall be paid and to reduce the cost of County Government, and for other purposes.

FOR INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1  
AGAINST INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1

FOR 3 MILL ROAD TAX  
AGAINST 3 MILL ROAD TAX

### Arkansan Fighting for Estate Share

R. B. Palmer, 20, of Stuttgart, Claims He's Rich Man's Son

NEW LONDON, Conn.—(AP)—Mrs. Margaret F. Lentz, 55, of Stuttgart, Ark., testified in superior court Thursday that Mrs. Elizabeth Price was an expectant mother just prior to the birth of Robert Byron Palmer, 20 years ago.

Mrs. Lentz was called to the stand as the defense began a parade of witnesses to challenge the contention of young Palmer that he is the son of the late Charles T. Palmer, wealthy manufacturer and Mrs. Audrey Palmer, former New York actress.

Palmer, a Stuttgart (Ark.) boy, is seeking a share of the Palmer estate.

### Depression Over Declares Ford as He Hikes Output

Tells Industrialists, Forget "Alphabet" Schemes, Go to Work

### GOAL MILLION CARS

Manufacturer Raps Small Mind Which Thinks "Progress is Done"

DETROIT, Mich.—(AP)—Henry Ford said Thursday that the Ford Motor company is out of the depression and that its 1935 production schedule will be set at one million units or more, for the first time in four years.

"The depression would be over for the whole country very soon if American industrialists would just forget 'alphabet' schemes and take hold of their industries and run them with good, sound American business sense," Ford said.

Dole Is Wrong, He Says  
NEW YORK—The relief dole is all wrong, declares Henry Ford in an interview published by Collier's Weekly. He urges that everybody who needs relief should be given employment, not money.

"People don't thank anyone for a dole," says Mr. Ford. "This is something the politicians don't seem to know. They think they are making voters through the dole. They are only making enemies. The dole-takers always turn on the dole-givers. They would thank anyone who gave them work and the chance to be independent, but they hate anyone who patronizes them. There may be a few people in this country who are content to live off government gifts, but it is a libel to say that most of them are. With half a chance, our people can get along. Nobody's going to starve in America."

Mr. Ford takes issue with Sir Josiah Stamp, British economist who has asked scientists to withhold their new inventions for fear of what they might do to the world economic structure.

"There are some minds like that," says Mr. Ford. "They never see the future—want to peg all progress at the point we reached yesterday. There were men who wanted to do that in 1776. And in 1876. They'll still be here in 1976. But they don't count. They think we have enough progress to last us. We haven't even started. We are in the extreme period of our going to break out into a wide circle. Sir Josiah should look forward."

NRA "Doesn't Matter"  
As for the NRA, Mr. Ford has decided that it "just doesn't matter." He explains: "Even if it breaks down completely, it wouldn't make any difference. Politics don't change things in the long run. It only makes a noise. Even if the very worst happened, it wouldn't make much difference. Things always go on all right. Don't forget that this is the United States and these are the American people. They are not going to let anyone hurt them. No politician can injure this country."

Today is a time of opportunity, with big chances for the little fellow and the small business man, Mr. Ford declares. "We must have a care for small businesses in this country," he says. "Small business men practically carried the country during the depression. NRA or anything that makes it hard for a young man to start, or a small business to hold its own, is a menace."

When we have learned a lot by mass production and by concentrating large populations in industrial centers. But now the trend is the other way. What we learned in the big shop we can apply in the small shop. The little business man never had a better chance in his life than right now."

Turning to the subject of labor strikes, Mr. Ford comments: "Men seldom want to strike unless there is something in the management that provokes them to it. I have looked into labor strikes where I have had to tell the employers they were not fit to employ men. It doesn't pay to jump at conclusions until you know the facts. Remember, I am speaking about strikes where the men really want to strike, and most of these could be prevented by a little common sense. But there is another kind of strike which is procured by one side or the other as a 'weakness' for business in order to hurt a rival business. Or it is paid for by some financial interest to be forced to borrow money or to take in stockholders. Most of the strikes in the United States are of this type. I could tell you some things about that. Strikes are financed by big interests who are getting something out of them."

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### FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



A neglected wife is like jam—a sweet thing put on the shelf.

### Two Fire Alarms on Thursday; No Damage

A leaking gas main and a grass fire sent the Hope Fire department on two separate runs Thursday afternoon to different sections of the city. No damage resulted from either blaze.

The first alarm was caused from a grass fire on West Ninth street. The gas pipe blaze was on East Third street.

### Hill Badmen, Floyd's Gods

### Glamour of Them Fired Imagination of Pretty-Boy Lad

Newspaper Woman Only Person Who Ever Interviewed Floyd

### THE COOKSON HILLS

Vivian Brown, Daughter of the Country, Writes the Story

The saga of "Pretty Boy" Floyd is told in a series of three stories of which this is the first by Vivian Brown, the only person who interviewed Floyd during his crime career. Reared in the hills which were the outlaw's refuge, she knows the background of the story as few writers could.

By VIVIAN BROWN  
Written for NEA Service

"I'm Charley Floyd." Grinning, but not the least bit nervous, a big, chunky fellow climbed out of his car at the edge of a cornfield and stepped toward me. He looked like a country boy who had been to town.

"I'm Vivian Brown." His uncle stood by, also grinning. And thus began my first interview with Pretty Boy Floyd.

I was born in the wild, rough country of Indian Territory. I was reared in the Cookson Hills.

I know the hill folk of that rugged region, and they knew me. I have lived among them all my life. I have watched them piddlin' around their shanties, a-waitin' for the corn to get ripe, or hauling a load of sugar back through the thickets to a moonshine still.

I understand their mannerisms, their likes and dislikes, their background. They accept me as one of them. Of course, I went away to school—to Muskogee and Tahlequah—but I can

still speak their backwoods language and think their backwoods thoughts.

Only Floyd Interview  
I won the confidence of the Floyds and their friends because they thought I was a square shooter. I am the only person who interviewed Floyd during his career of crime, and he knew the interview would be published.

Pieces by piece, day by day, the legend of "Pretty Boy" Floyd was built. You know the story of his life of crime that has blazed across the nation's front pages the "phantom bandit," with steel vest and machine gun, who had a "weakness" for country banks and a habit of shooting his way out of tight places.

He was a good hand at his line of business, but at 30, when most young men are just looking ahead on life, his riddled body lay on an undertaker's slab.

To get the real-life picture of the man who became America's most-hunted criminal, you must know the sordid background of his life.

Charles Arthur Floyd was born on a farm in Georgia, February 3, 1904. When he was a year old, his parents joined in the trek to Indian Territory. They settled on a farm near Atkins, now in Sequoyah county, on the southern fringe of the Cookson Hills.

Father Good Citizen  
Walter F. Floyd, his father, now dead, was a hard-working, industrious farmer. His mother, with a lifetime of church work and Georgia

not take snap judgment."

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### Temperature Here Falls 32 Degrees

Mercury Drops to 54 Wednesday Night—Was 39 Last Sunday

A drop in temperature of 32 degrees was recorded here Wednesday night on N. P. O'Neal's government thermometer.

The lowest reading was 54. The maximum was 86, taken Wednesday afternoon.

The coolest weather this fall was recorded Sunday night when the mercury dipped to 39.

### Press Man Denies Acting Officially

Harper Describes 'Phone Inquiry on No. 21 as Merely a Survey

Armitage Harper, secretary of the Arkansas Press association, gave his side of the Four-Year-Term Amendment (No. 21) controversy in Thursday morning's Arkansas Gazette, which reproduced in full Hope Star's editorial of Wednesday night.

The Star recounted how No. 21 headquarters had been "swayed" by the delinquent tax line publication for support of the Four-Year-Term Amendment, Publisher A. H. Washburn describing the telephone message in which Secretary Harper of the newspaper organization relayed the proposal of the county officials' lobby organization.

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Not until "Pretty Boy" met his death did these pictures of him come to light. Left, Floyd with his first wife, Ruby, whom he divorced for Beulah Ash, his last "flame," shown with him at the right.



### His Death Caused by Pricked Pimple

Frank Thompson, 29, Bingen, Dies of Blood Poisoning

Frank Thompson, 29-year-old Bingen farmer, died in Josephine hospital here Wednesday night of blood poisoning said to have been caused from pricking a small pimple on his face.

Mr. Thompson had been ill only a few days. His body was returned to Bingen where burial was expected to be held Thursday.

Surviving are his widow, a small daughter and other relatives.

### Hauptmann Denies Jafie Knew Him

Tells Attorney That Dr. Condon Failed to Recognize Him as "John"

NEW YORK—(AP)—James M. Fawcett, counsel for Bruno Richard Hauptmann, accused slayer of the Lindbergh baby, said Thursday that Hauptmann told him that Dr. John F. (Jafie) Condon had not recognized him as the receiver of the \$200,000 ransom.

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### Escaped Bandit Is Shot, Recaptured

Birmingham Thug's Brother Killed in Police Skirmish

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—(AP)—A bandit who escaped under police fire in which his companion was killed and an officer wounded Wednesday night was taken into custody Thursday in Bessemer, Ala., in a critical condition from bullet wounds.

The man, who police said identified himself as Kelley Coates, was arrested when an officer traced bloodstained clothing found in a cleaning establishment.

Officers said the man confessed he participated in a gun battle in downtown Birmingham, and identified the dead bandit as his brother Luther J. Coates.

Police expressed the opinion the men had committed hotel robberies in several Southern states.

### 13 Believed Lost in 2 Shipwrecks

Freight Washed Ashore From Vessels in St. Lawrence River

CLARKE CITY, Quebec.—(AP)—Thirteen persons were believed Wednesday night to have lost their lives in the reported foundering of two vessels in the lower St. Lawrence river during week-end storms counted the worst here in many years.

The St. Rio David, 87-foot motor-ship out of Quebec, and a schooner from St. Pierre and Miquelon, were the vessels lost. Captain Nichols of the schooner landed at Pigou with four of his crew on a rudely constructed raft. Two members of the crew were lost, he reported.

The St. Rio David, whose captain was Joseph Briet of Quebec, was believed to have carried five or six unidentified passengers in addition to her crew of five. She was believed lost in a blinding snowstorm and thick fog Sunday night and Monday morning. A huge swell was running. Reports from seven islands said part of her freight had washed ashore there.

### General Hindman's Son Is Dead at 71

His Father Opposed Sherman on the March to the Sea

CHICAGO—(AP)—Col. Thomas Carmichael Hindman, 71, son of General Thomas C. Hindman, Confederate leader who opposed Sherman's march to the sea, died Thursday at an hotel here.

Colonel Hindman suffered a stroke of apoplexy Monday night. He was born in Macon, Ga. Relatives at Helena, Ark., were among those advised of his death.

### Germany Aroused by Report France Wants Coal Field

Occupation by French Would Be Challenge, Says Newspaper

### REFERENDUM NEAR

After 15 Years, Saar Basin Will Choose Its Own Nationality

BERLIN, GERMANY.—(AP)—A semi-official German source, answering reports that France is preparing for a possible occupation of the Saar territory, warned Thursday that France is "playing with fire."

A newspaper, described as a mouthpiece of the government, said in an editorial that occupation of the Saar would constitute a challenge to Germany.

The Saar region is to vote January 13 on whether to join Germany, or France, or remain under mandate of the League of Nations.

The Saar Basin, great European coal field, originally a section of the German Rhineland, was under Article 45 of the Treaty of Versailles awarded to France for a period of 15 years, as compensation for the destruction of the coal fields in northern France by the German armies.

The treaty provides that after 15 years the Saar population, about 777,000, which all this time has been governed by a commission of five men named by the League of Nations, shall vote for one of three courses:

1. Union with France.
2. Union with Germany.
3. Continuation of League administration.

### Pulaski Official Is Given 5 Years

Ex Chancery Clerk W. H. Mahoney Pleads Guilty to Embezzlement

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—W. M. Mahoney, former Pulaski chancery clerk, entered a plea of guilty Thursday to embezzlement of public funds and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

An audit of Mahoney's accounts disclosed an alleged shortage of about \$20,000, and most of this was repaid by Mahoney's bondsmen.

### Insull Says Good Outweighs the Bad

Testifies His Concerns Created More Wealth Than They Lost

CHICAGO.—(AP)—Samuel Insull, defending himself against mail fraud charges, Thursday told a jury that his Middle Western electric pool had contributed more to the wealth of this section than the stockholders had lost in Insull's 2-billion-dollar commercial failure.

Insull shouted from the stand that he had turned down an offer to become chairman of a British high-tension power development.

The offer was tendered by Stanley Baldwin, former premier of Great Britain.

### Markets Hope Cotton Exchange

New York Cotton

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec	12.08	12.09	11.98	12.04-02
Jan	12.10	12.12	12.02	12.03-04
Dec	down 60c per bale.			

New Orleans Cotton

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec	12.10	12.13	12.02	12.03-04
Jan	12.13	12.15	12.07	12.07
Dec	down 65c per bale.			

Chicago Grain

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—Dec.	95 3/4	96	95 1/4	95 3/4
Corn—Dec	76 1/4	77 1/4	76 1/4	77 1/4
Oats—Dec	50 1/4	50 3/4	49 3/4	50 1/4

Closing Stock Quotations

American Can	100 1/2
A. T. & T.	109 1/2
Anaconda	10
Chrysler	37 1/4
General Motors	29
Socony Vacuum	13 1/4
U. S. Steel	31 3/4
Standard Oil of N. J.	40 1/4
American Smelter	33 3/4
Atchafalpa	51 1/2

Little Rock Produce

Hens, heavy breeds, per lb.	11 to 12c
Hens, Leghorn breeds, per lb.	9 to 10c
Broilers, per lb.	10 to 12c
Springers, per lb.	11 to 13c
Roosters, per lb.	4 to 5c
Geese, per lb.	12 to 15c
Turkeys, per lb.	12 to 15c
Eggs, candled, per doz.	19 to 21c



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## YOUR HEALTH

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN  
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

Noises Have Detrimental Effects on Health

A world that was once fairly quiet is now besieged by noise of many varieties. The coming of the machine age, of rapid transportation, and of new devices for carrying sound through the air have multiplied immensely the sounds that assault the ears.

Engineers have in the meantime been developing methods of soundproofing so as to make it possible for those who wish to shut out sounds to have a certain amount of quietude. In England they have an anti-noise league, concerned with cutting down the total number of noises, because it is felt that these constant stimuli may seriously irritate the sick and also greatly impede recovery.

Certain sounds are painfully loud. It can be taken for granted that if they are so, they are harmful to health, either to the ear or the brain, or both.

Another factor of sound which is annoying, if not damaging to health, is, as Dan MacKenzie points out, the rhythmic or unexpected sound. There are, of course, some people who have no sense of rhythm or no ear for music and others who have no sense of pitch and who are said to be tone-deaf.

Whereas rhythmic sound has the effect of preventing or postponing fatigue, as an example in soldiers who march, rhythmic sounds that are not rhythmic may startle, disturb, or irritate.

The reaction to a sudden, sharp, or unexpected sound is a muscular spasm. It is an intensive gathering of the muscles for flight or for defense.

Associated with this sudden muscular spasm there are the usual accompaniments of fear; namely, a contraction of the blood vessels so that we become pale, trembling of the limbs, and what is generally called shock.

If this happens frequently, the results, of course, exhaustion and in the end breakdown.

It is because of these shocks to the nervous system that noise is tiring. To people who are quite ill it may be so serious as to have an unfavorable effect leading even to death.

There are, of course, people who do not react as much to noise as do others. They have the ability to concentrate and to shut out the world from their consciousness.

Of course when we become accustomed to noise we learn to ignore it. This applies to workers in boiler shops, in musical instrument testing laboratories, carpenter shops, and similar industries.

While a healthy man can stand the ordinary noises of the streets, including even unexpected blowing of motor horns, a hypersensitive or weakly man suffers exceedingly to such stimulation of his nerves.

In cases of pneumonia, sepsis, heart disease accompanied by insomnia, and people who are much weakened after surgical operation, noise is a serious menace.

For this reason in many cities there are provisions for zones of quiet around hospitals and sanitariums so as to give the sick the opportunity to recover without the menace of excessive noise.

## A BOOK A DAY

By BRUCE CATTION

Sees World History As Struggle of Oil

—This Book Has New Slant on Foreign Relations

In "The Secret War," F. C. Hanighen looks at modern world history in terms of petroleum—and makes a rather appalling sight out of it.

It is Mr. Hanighen's notion that most of the moves in the game of international politics leave a streak of oil on the board, if you know how and where to look for it.

He sets out to prove it in this book. It will make discouraging reading for the peace societies.

For his conclusion is nothing less than this: that the major events of world politics in recent years are little more than moves in a titanic fight between two great groups—America, Standard Oil, and England's Dutch Shell-Anglo-Persian crowd.

frio Diaz, he says, Mexico's troubles have grown out of oil. Oil has caused revolts in Persia. Oil financed the "white" efforts to overthrow the Russian Bolsheviks.

It first prevented and then made possible American recognition of Russia. It caused an America-English squabble in Colombia and Venezuela that may ultimately have profoundly tragic consequences. The Russian-Japanese rivalry grows out of oil.

In fact, nearly all the dangerous international rivalries in the world today are seen as fundamentally struggles for oil. The world is likely to go to war again, one of these days; if it does, says Mr. Hanighen, oil will probably be responsible.

All in all, it's a startling and useful book. It is published by the John Day Co. at \$2.75.

## YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

Premature Halloween Celebration Indicts Parents' Rule of Children

It is a good thing that Halloween comes only once in a blue moon. Literally that, because the October moon was called the "Blue Moon" by the Indians, due to the colorful haze over the mountains and valleys in the fall season.

They celebrated it. The pagans celebrated it for another reason. The Christian faith has for centuries been identified with a festival season before All Saints' Day.

Yet, although celebrations are good for the soul and carefree fun is still better for the health, by no stretch of the imagination can we call our Halloween a care-free interlude.

Moreover, instead of its duration being for a day, the time out for sheer banditry today is a week or even two weeks.

It has resolved itself into a defensive war of nineteen-twentieths of the population against the smaller fraction of the score.

One wonders just how much the statistics would figure in dollars and cents the damage of one Halloween season amounts to, allowance made for the inconvenience, time and trouble of the persecuted.

Recently, too, it has become a grand alibi for more serious offenses.

In short words, our dear, sweet, prehistoric old Halloween, when children dressed up and rang doorbells, pulled taffy and bobbed for apples, has become a lissensious orgy of alarming proportions.

How useless it is to shout, "There ought to be a law." There are laws. But the entire army, constabulary, and local police can not enforce them.

Children will be children, of course. On Halloween night we have to haul in the dog house and the garbage can and possess ourselves in peace.

We even have to coax a smile when we think the porch has fallen in and the house will go next, and murmur sweetly, "The little dears—let them have their fun."

That's all right. We all did it and turn about is only fair play.

What we didn't do was to torment our neighbors for days ahead of time. If we had done so we would have been whipped and put to bed for a month.

The responsibility of the pre-Halloween nuisance rests with parents and with them alone, I am sure. If things have reached a stage when a boy won't stay in the house when he is told, this itself is proof of utter defeat. It calls for absolute authority and certainly such authority should be exercised.

Why do we make some of our most delightful holidays menaces and riots? Most assuredly it will have to stop sometime.

## GLORIFYING YOURSELF

By Alicia Hart

Eggs Can Be Used As Beauty Mask.

Masks are particularly good for oily skins. The right one—meticulously applied—removes resin from clogged pores, stimulates sluggish circulation and serve to clarify a complexion that seems slightly muddy.

There are dozens of commercially prepared masks on the market today. Your favorite beauty counter undoubtedly can supply you and tell you exactly how that particular type

must be used to get the best results. However, for women who try to keep their beauty budgets as low as possible, home-made masks are indeed a blessing.

Try an egg mask treatment once a week for a couple of months and see if your skin doesn't look better. Put the yolk of an egg in a bowl and beat it lightly with a fork. Do the same with the white. Then, after cleaning face and neck, smooth some of the white on face and throat. Let it dry and then apply a layer of yolk. When it has dried, cover it with a coat of

the white. Repeat in layers until the entire egg has been used. Lie down for twenty minutes or until the mask is quite hard. Rinse it off with lukewarm water.

If your skin is dry, pat on nourishing cream after the mask has been removed. If it's oily, apply skin tonic or a mild astringent and go to bed.

## Blevins

Miss Catherine Brown of the Sweet

## The Claw of the Forgotten Murder

CHARLETON KENDRAKE  
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**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
When CHARLES MORDEN, reporter for "The Blade," in found dead DANN BLEEKER, publisher, employed SNEYD GRIFF, famous criminologist, to solve the murder.

The case was a puzzle. GRIFF, the editor of FRANK H. CATHAY, wealthy and prominent, following the arrest of an impostor, claiming to be Cathay and accompanied by a girl called MARY BRIGGS.

The day following Morden's death Cathay dies of poisoning. GRIFF learns that Morden had visited the apartment of ALICE LORTON who has reported to police the disappearance of her roommate, ESTHER ORDAWAY.

Griff begins Alice of being involved in Morden's murder but does not succeed in proving down the story. He talks to MARY BRIGGS, inventor, with whom Cathay had an engagement on the night of the arrest.

Detectives report to Griff that Alice Lorton and a man believed to be KENNETH BOONE left her apartment shortly after Griff's call there.

Griff locates the cab driver who took Morden to Alice's apartment.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
CHAPTER XXV  
WHILE Bleeker was telephoning, Sidney Griff paced restlessly up and down the apartment. His head was thrust forward. His eyes were squinted in thought. He seemed utterly oblivious of Dan Bleeker and of the telephoned instructions Bleeker was giving to his newspaper. When Bleeker had hung up the telephone and returned to his chair Griff suddenly whirled on him.

"How about putting them on that Elite Apartment to shadow who ever came out? Did you do it?" Bleeker looked crestfallen.

"I did it," he said, "but I'm afraid I did it too late."

"So," said Griff softly and with an ominous calm, "you let her get away from you. Is that right?"

"Not Esther Orday," said Bleeker. "She'd gone already. There was no use watching the place after she'd left, except to get a line on someone who might come there and I couldn't see how we could find out just who was going to her apartment and who was going to the apartment of some other person. At any rate, the apartment is still there and the man is watching. It's Alice Lorton who has left. My men report there's no one in the apartment."

Sidney Griff made a snorting, explosive sound.

"Well," he said, "we'll let it pass. I'll tell you more about that after a while. What else have you got?"

"The mail," Bleeker said. "I can't understand it."

"What about it?"

"We got Esther Orday's banking statement with the canceled checks. It had been mailed to her by her bank, apparently in response to a request she had telephoned in."

BLEEKER pulled a long envelope from his pocket, took from it the stiff yellow paper statement of a bank balance, with machine stamped figures on the margin. Griff reached forward, took the checks and the folded statement from Bleeker's hands.

## History of Dixie Families Printed

"Kinfolks" a 3-Volume Record of Ancestry of Original South

Inside—History of "Kinfolks" is a publication of three volumes of about a thousand pages each, prepared by Colonel William Curry Harlee, of the U. S. Marine Corps, and many collaborators. The first volume is off the press. The other two volumes are to follow.

It is published by its author and distributed by its printers, Searey & Pratt, Ltd., 931 Lafayette Street, New Orleans, La., for \$10 for the entire work of three well bound volumes of nearly 3,000 pages.

"Kinfolks" treats exhaustively, so far as available records and information preserved by families are concerned, the ancestral families, Leake, Black, Camp, Gower, MacIn, and Clark, of Virginia; Harlee (including its original form Harley), Cade, Fulmore, Richardson, Bethen, and Robertson, of Virginia and the Carolinas; Stuart (and its variations, Stewart, etc.), McQueen, Adair, Walker, Goodran, Henagan, Brown (several separate branches), and Dickie, of the Carolinas, and Curry and Kemp. Originally Scotch and English families which migrated to the mainland English Colonies thence to the Bahama Islands whence their descendants migrated to Florida, and in considerable detail the families connected by marriage with them and those which sprang from them, and traces these and connected families and their descendants in their migrations throughout the Southern states, in each of which there are now many thousands descended from pioneer settlers in each state.

Their descendants spread into the states which formed the Southern Confederacy and have remained in their beloved Southland, very few having removed to Northern or Western states. There are but few communities in the South without descendants of these ancestral families.

The text of "Kinfolks" is prepared from authentic and reliable source material, mainly of wills, land grants, deeds, marriage records, cemetery inscriptions, family records in Bibles, old letters, and other family records preserved for generations.

The publication includes over 250 pages of old portraits, generally four to a page, and of facsimile reproductions of old records.

The work is supported and documented with evidence, in many cases facsimiles of original documents, in such a manner that lawyers say would prove the case in court. Lineages anterior to the more recent generations whose descendants are well known by current common knowledge are proven, and establish conclusively the eligibility of the descendants to membership in societies which require proof of descent.

Meigs O. Frost, in his review of it in the New Orleans States says: "Though 'Kinfolks' is written with the sober restraint of an auditor's report it seems with drama, thrills with pathos, thrills with tense moments as many a more potently literary work fails completely to do. It gives from vitally genuine source material one of the most superb pictures yet put into words of the true American South, of the daily lives, problems, failures, disappointments, trials, and triumphs of real Southerners from Colonial down to modern times."

There is no need," he said, "It was a red herring drawn across our trail, but it arrived too late. However, one thing is certain. An attempt will be made on the part of Alice Lorton to get the mail from the apartment some time this morning. She will either return to the apartment or send some young man there with a key to the mail box. She will be anxious to get this letter with the checks."

"You mean Esther Orday?" asked Bleeker.

"No," said the criminologist, "I mean Alice Lorton. Although Esther Orday is probably her real name."

"They're one and the same?" asked Bleeker.

"They're one and the same," Sidney Griff told him. "Beyond any doubt."

"But why should Alice Lorton report the disappearance of Esther Orday?"

"BECAUSE," Griff said slowly, "it was imperative that Esther Orday should disappear. It was also, for certain reasons, either impossible or unwise for Esther Orday to give up her apartment and flee. Therefore, she simply took the name of a mysterious Alice Lorton and told us the story about the disappearance of her fictitious roommate."

"But surely," Bleeker said, "she couldn't have expected to have such a story stand up."

"Don't be too certain about that," Griff said. "There undoubtedly was an Alice Lorton. Alice Lorton merged her identity into that of Esther Orday for certain purposes. Then, when it became apparent that the Orday identity was going to get her into trouble, she switched back to the identity of Alice Lorton."

"But the police could have confronted her with the people in the apartment and . . ."

"And would have got no place," Griff interrupted. "The police would have found that persons in the apartment had seen her coming and going. They would have known that she was living in the apartment. They wouldn't have known whether she was Esther Orday or Alice Lorton. The only persons who might have given testimony that would clinch her identity were the persons in the bank. For that reason she wanted to get her bank account closed and sent to her before there was any possibility of police interference. The fact that mail is not delivered on Saturday afternoon nor on Sunday brought about the downfall of the scheme."

"Then this Orday woman, or Alice Lorton as she calls herself, is probably the woman in the case?"

"You forget," Griff pointed out, "that we have, as yet, to account for the mysterious Mrs. Blanche Malone who is being eagerly sought by the bereaved widow."

(To Be Continued)

"The key witness," announced Sidney Griff in the next installment, "is going to be Mrs. Blanche Malone if we can find her while she is still alive."

Old Liberty

Mrs. Gus Gilbert spent the week end with Mrs. J. B. Hicks.

Miss Lola Hicks and Mrs. Guy Hicks spent Wednesday with Mrs. E. R. Calhoun.

Mrs. Oscar VanRiper and Mrs. Will Rosenbaum were guests of Mrs. Steve Bristow Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCorkle, October 17, a son, weighing 11 pounds.

Miss Lola Hicks spent the week end with Miss Rebecca Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Parone, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shearer, Mrs. Oscar Massey and Miss Evelyn Harrison attended the Baptist association at Shover Springs last week.

## Some Facts About The HEMPSTEAD COUNTY SALARY ACT

On the ticket at the general election November 6th there will appear after the constitutional amendments and referred state acts the following:

INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1 OF HEMPSTEAD COUNTY  
"An Act to Fix the Compensation and Expenses of County Officers and to Fix the Manner in Which Such Compensation and Salaries Shall Be Paid and to Reduce the Cost of County Government, and for Other Purposes."

FOR INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1  
AGAINST INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1

There are some questions that you may want answered—and here are the answers:

**QUESTION—What is Initiative Act No. 1 of Hempstead County?**  
**ANSWER—**It is the act to put the county government on a business-like basis.

**QUESTION—How did it come to be on the ticket?**  
**ANSWER—**Because 1,079 qualified electors of Hempstead county signed petitions to the County Judge and County Court to have it put on the ticket.

**QUESTION—Why did those 1,079 qualified electors want it on the ticket?**  
**ANSWER—**So that the people of Hempstead county might vote for themselves on the compensation their officers should receive, and the expenses of their county government.

**QUESTION—Who fixed the schedule of compensation for each office as set forth in the petition?**  
**ANSWER—**A mass meeting of citizens (over 500 in number) met after due notice; and, after hearing the various county officers, the meeting voted unanimously each item just as set forth in the petitions signed by the 1,079 qualified electors.

**QUESTION—What is the schedule of compensation that the various offices will receive under the County Salary Act?**  
**ANSWER—**

Office	Annual Salary
County Clerk	\$2,700.00
Deputy Clerk	1,200.00
Assessor	2,700.00
Deputy Assessor	1,200.00
County Treasurer	2,700.00
Circuit Clerk	2,700.00
Deputy Clerk	1,200.00
County Judge	2,700.00

It will be noticed in the above schedule that the sheriff is not put on a salary.

This is because the sheriff in his duties in serving papers and arresting criminals is so dependent on the amount of litigation arising that the 1,079 qualified electors who initiated the County Salary Act could find no reasonable and definite salary to take care of every emergency.

But in the interest of good government they put the sheriff's fees on the same basis that had existed in Arkansas from 1875 up until 1921—the latter part of which period carried us through the highest prices ever known in our section.

**QUESTION—How do these amounts to be paid under the proposed County Salary Act compare with what the offices have received heretofore?**

**ANSWER—**The proposed salaries are less. The County will save money. A full table of comparisons will appear later, and will show that the county will save between \$4,000 and \$5,000 each year under this County Salary Act.

**QUESTION—What is the purpose of the County Salary Act?**  
**ANSWER—**To provide a reasonable compensation to the county officers; to save money for the county; and to put the county government on a business-like basis.

More facts will appear later.

BUT REMEMBER, THE COUNTY SALARY ACT WILL SAVE MONEY FOR THE COUNTY AND THE INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYER.

SO WHEN YOU VOTE ON NOVEMBER 6TH MARK YOUR BALLOT LIKE THIS—

FOR INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1  
AGAINST INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1

## The Thousand And Seventy-Nine Qualified Electors of Hempstead County

(adv.)



# Society

Mrs. Sid Henry Telephone 321

My little note book is my garden spot, where I deposit every straying thought that blows my way. And like a seed, if fertile, will in time develop growth and blossom forth in rhyme to tune my lay. This little garden spot is truly mine, for there I live and work and dream divine of things serene, And though the world without rolls thundering by, my garden laughs beneath an azure sky in verdant green. Know you of spring, when life rejects the tomb and triumphs over death, despair and doom? Therefore, take heed! An acorn will in time produce a tree, A thought enslave you, or will make you free. "Thought is a Seed."—Selected.

Mrs. W. M. Reeves Jr., has returned from Texarkana, where she attended the Registered Nurses' convention. Postmaster and Mrs. J. A. Davis have returned from a three week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Hinton and other relatives in Phoenix, Ariz.

Mrs. Emma Hargrove of Waco, Texas arrived Wednesday night for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Porterfield. Mrs. George R. Breedlove and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swanke left Thursday morning for Little Rock where they will attend a meeting of the Malco Picture Corporation.

Mrs. Lelia Watson announces the marriage of her daughter, Princess Jewell to Claude Blevins, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blevins of the city. The ceremony took place on Saturday.

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day, May 19th, 1934, at the home of the officiating Justice of the Peace, W. J. White in Prescott. Mrs. Blevins will leave in the near future to join her husband in Clay Center, Neb. where he is connected with broadcasting station, KMMJ.

Among the relatives and friends attending the funeral services for the late Charlie Hervey conducted from the First Baptist church in this city on Wednesday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hervey and children of Pine Bluff, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery of Little Rock, James Montgomery of El Dorado, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hervey of Texarkana, Mrs. Rupert Blakely and daughter, Lucinda and Comer Bouton, Mrs. Alvin Reap and daughter of Little Rock, Miss Annie Cagle, Ouchitta college, Arkadelphia, Mrs. Hope Garner of Nashville, Mrs. Bill Pruitt, Mrs. Luke Monroe and Claude M. Agee of Washington and Mrs. E. M. Hyden of Texarkana.

Mrs. J. H. Walker has returned from a three week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Polk Singleton in Tucson, Ariz.

Either through omission in copying our article on "Souvenirs of Yesterday" in Wednesday's paper, or its being omitted in the typing room, the following sentence was omitted: "The beautiful stage setting, available only in very few theatres in the south, outside of Dallas and Little Rock, added much to the beauty of the occasion."

## HERE & THERE

(Continued from Page One)

error, who in turn was responsible to the people.

When Arkansas had an elective highway commissioner Arkansas had dirt roads.

You would not consider it undemocratic to appoint the Board of Health instead of electing it. Electing a Board of Health might easily turn out to be a business in which the people voted not for the best physician but for the physician with the best platform manner.

Is it not wiser, in school matters also, to delegate authority upward, and then hold those to whom that authority has been delegated responsible in the primary elections?

Arkansas will come out of her school crisis—but unfortunately this is a problem that a mere matter of voting can't solve overnight.

Act No. 280 would let property owners postpone payment of taxes for four years without forfeiting their land to the state. I am against that.

I think every citizen of Arkansas who can possibly do so owes it to the schools and other public institutions to pay his taxes promptly.

Adoption of No. 280 would be a disaster. Times are getting better in Arkansas. While we are recovering personally we need to keep faith with government.

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## Ginger Rogers to Wed Lew Ayres Engagement of Movie Stars Announced at Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, Calif.—(AP)—The engagement of Ginger Rogers, vivacious screen actress, and Lew Ayres, screen star, was announced Wednesday night by Mrs. Lela E. Rogers, the actress' mother. The marriage will take place November 10 or 11 in a Hollywood church.

Both have been married previously. Ayres was divorced two years ago from Lola Lane, an actress. The girlhood marriage of Miss Rogers to Jack Pepper, a vaudeville actor, was annulled.

ment, and for that reason No. 280 should be defeated.

X X X The last proposal is the County Salary Act, Initiative Act No. 11.

This is for Hempstead county, to abolish the fee system except as regards the sheriff, and to fix county salaries at \$2,700.

Some office-holders complain there are inequalities in the act.

I don't suppose any salary act could be drawn that would not have some inequalities.

The issue was fought through the legislature for years, until the Arkansas Supreme Court finally prohibited the legislature from authorizing individual county salaries—and gave this right to the people back home, where it belongs.

That's why Initiative Act No. 1 was put on the ballot.

Personally, I believe in high salaries for public officials. I opposed the movement by the Taxpayers League two years ago to reduce salaries to \$1,800—and I warned this past summer that if a much higher schedule were not adopted this newspaper would oppose the Salary Act's adoption next Tuesday.

The salary level was fixed at \$2,700. That's a pretty good salary during these times. It's more than this writer earns, owing his own business.

It's more than a lot of Hope business men earn, or expect to earn for the next several years.

County expenses must be reduced. We know that, because the assessed valuation is one-third lower. A 67 per cent business can't go on paying 100 per cent salaries.

And if some injustice is done at this time, and it is proven in actual administration, then this newspaper will be the first to demand justice for the office-holders, where today we are demanding justice for the tax-paying public.

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On Sunday afternoons, he played ball on the schoolhouse corner, and occasionally sneaked into the woods to shoot craps with some of the older fellows.

Later, Charley worked on the Allen Redford farm, south of Muskogee, and was well liked there.

Absorbed Folk Lore A boy with an imagination, and a native cunning that one day was to make him notorious, young Charley Floyd was gripped by the folk lore of the region, built around the south-west's gunmen and outlaws.

In territorial days, Fort Smith, not far away, had the only federal court in the region. And there began a disregard for officers that has marked the region ever since.

The fastness of the Cookson Hills made them a hideout for Belle and Henry Starr, for Matt and George Kimes, for the Wildlife boys and later for Bradshaw, Underhill, Floyd and others.

Thrilled by Yarns The stories Floyd heard as a child were the ones I heard, except a boy would hear more. We were the same age. My father was a rancher, and we lived on the north edge of the Cookson Hills. Floyd lived on the southern edge.

The hill-billies would sit around their cabins, squirting tobacco juice or smoking home-raised tobacco in corn cob pipes, and spin their favorite yarns about Little Bill Doolin, Cy Carlisle, Cherokee Bill, Mont Cookson, the Kimes Boys, Ed Lockhart, George and Charlie Price, Jim Benge and colorful little "Cattle Annie."

Those stories appealed to Floyd's imagination. The successors to Jesse James were among his heroes. The hill country is not ashamed of the characters it has produced.

Stories of their forays or robbing trains and banks and stealing cattle, back as far as the '80s, were told with a sort of grim pride.

You might get the idea that the hills are filled with dens of thieves. But most of them are good people. They don't like killings. But they have the same inborn dislike for officers that the Kentucky hill-billies and moonshiners have for the "revenuers."

The men who have risked their lives to track down Floyd and other bandits among the wild canyons, the heavy timber and hidden paths have run into an impenetrable wall of silence in the natives.

Charley Floyd lived near town, and his environment was not as squalid as that of the kids who grew up back in the scrub-oak hollows.

Life Primitive in Hills But he early came in contact with it. A trip back into the hills gives an idea of what it was then—a panorama of a rural people who still are 25 or 50 years behind the times.

For many, the only means of livelihood in recent years has been "running" likker. So, if you're a stranger poking around back in those hills, it's a good idea not to walk too near a cabin without first yelling out. You might see the barrel of a thirty-three looking at you.

Those people like out a meager liv-

ing. Schools are open three or four months a year. The hillfolk are not deeply religious. They just go to "meeting" as a place to go. It's hard to raise anything, and they don't farm much.

Around the typical hillside farm you'll see a mule or a horse, and a sow. Usually, there is a corn patch. Homes Onlyhovels

The shanties are poor, ramshackle, often without windows and floors and beds. Children feel lucky if they get one pair of shoes a year.

The women work in the gardens, raise the kids and stay at home. The men folks go to town on Saturday, but the women don't, because they don't have the clothes.

A few dollars was a fortune. I think that's one reason Floyd made a hit with them when he'd drop in for a night's safe lodging and leave a roll of bills.

Those who hadn't received money from him expected to if he came in some time and had any, so he was always welcome.

Deep was their hatred for people with money, and everybody said Floyd never robbed any poor people, that he always went after banks and "bonded money."

Liked Sports, Dancing Floyd was a sociable youngster and fairly good-looking. He liked to dance and attend the pie suppers. He also liked sports.

The first time he ever pulled the trigger of a gun probably was to knock a squirrel off an oak branch. In town, he loafed around the pool hall, and when the oil wells came, bringing in a rougher element, the level of his associations dropped another notch.

But he had the instincts of a boy bred in the hills. The hill-billies would say he seems sort of natural-like.

A city girl, the widow of a stool pigeon "Pretty Boy" Floyd was suspected of murdering—and a country girl from the Cookson Hills, were the only women in the outlaw's life.

Ruby Hardgraves and Beulah Baird Ash tugged the emotional Floyd between them, fought for his love, and gave him theirs.

No Hate or Jealousy Ruby, daughter of a respected farm family near Bixby, married Floyd when she was 16, showered affection and everlasting loyalty upon him, and gave him his son, Charles (Jackie) Dempsey Floyd.

Beulah, a slim, hobbled-haired girl from Kansas City, gave Floyd his nickname, "Pretty Boy," and, perhaps, his second son.

If these women, both about the same age, 28, felt jealousy and hatred for each other, they never revealed it. Loyal to him until his death in Ohio, and since, they kept a tight-lipped silence on his secrets.

An ordinary rural romance led to his marriage, at 18, to 16-year-old Ruby, whose family lives on a farm in Oklahoma county. The next season, Floyd followed the summer harvest crews through midwestern states.

His First Major Crime Some say that when Charley return-

## Yerger to Meet Texarkana Friday

Football Game Is to Begin on Local Field at 3:15 p. m.

Yerger High School Tigers, popped up as the result of their victory last week over State High of Pine Bluff, will play their next football game here Friday afternoon against Dunbar High of Texarkana.

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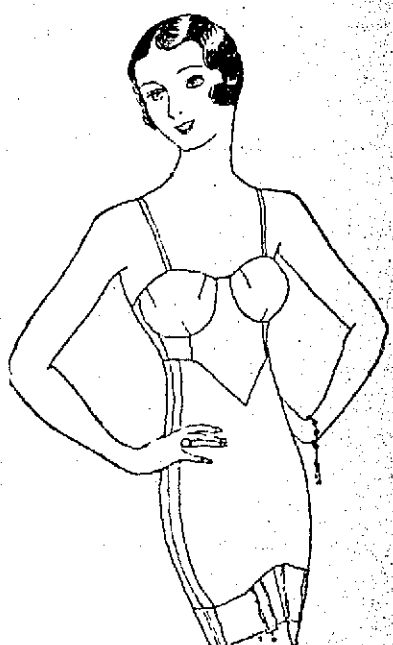
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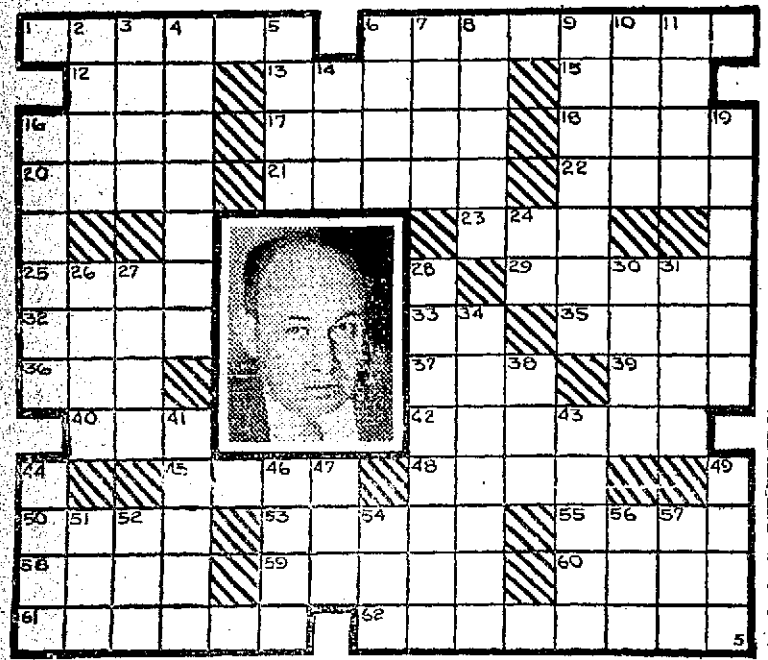
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**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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LOST OR STRAYED—One mule, 800 pounds, color between brown and red, with "N" branded on left shoulder. E. E. Miller, Patmos, Route One. 29-3tp

LOST OR MISPLACED—Gray swaggar coat. Reward for return to Hope Star. 31-3tc

NOTICE—Escaped from Spring Hill. Two small black mare mules. Reward for information or return. A. A. Anderson, Patmos, Rt. 1. 31-3tp

LOST—Kitten with long white hair. Tail has been broken. Evelyn Murph. 1-3tc

LOST—Female Pointer pup, six months old. White with brown spots. Fred Stroud, Phone 891. 1-3tp

Tokio

Wild geese were going South Sunday and that is a reminder of the winter gales that are on behind.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bradley of McCaskill visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.  
Mrs. Tiffin Kelley and children of Murfreesboro visited relatives here Sunday.  
R. A. Cooley was a business visitor to Nashville Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McLarty of Nashville have moved here to make their home.  
L. S. Sanford was a business visitor to Arkadelphia Friday night.  
R. A. Sanford, A. E. Woods, J. H. Coker, J. J. Daniels and Quinton Sanford were business visitors to Hope Friday.  
George C. McLarty and son Otis were business visitors to Bingen Saturday.  
G. O. Wisdom was a business visitor to Nashville Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blackwood visited Mr. Blackwood's parents at Bingen Saturday.  
J. S. Harris, Vernon Harris, E. A. Sanford and J. W. Threat were in Hope Friday on business.  
Uncle Joe Hutson is real sick at his home at this writing.  
Dildy Porterfield was a business visitor to Nashville Wednesday.  
George Tomney of Nashville visited relatives here Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McLarty and little son Edwin of Nashville visited relatives here Sunday.  
Mrs. Buddie Cummins and little daughter of Prescott are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Nance here.  
Mr. R. C. Stuart of Columbus was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Laneburg

Misses Jane and Ruth Gann of Camden visited their mother, Mrs. C. M. Gann, Sunday en route from Shreveport to Camden.  
J. E. Daniell of Prescott was a guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniell.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wetherington and Miss Louise Brewer visited relatives at Washington, Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Laman Dixon and children of Prescott were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Steed.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore of Emmet were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bright.  
H. C. Bright spent the week end to Hope as guest of his brother Bill Bright.  
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hart will leave Tuesday for Childress, Texas.  
Miss Hazel Fletcher of Prescott spent the week end as guest of Misses Carol McLane and Daisy Stephens.  
Miss Glyn Bright spent Friday afternoon in Hot Springs and saw the Hot Springs-Little Rock football game.

Centerville

Mr. and Mrs. George Cunningham and Mrs. Beavers of Prescott spent Saturday night with their father, Will Good.  
Mrs. Autry Gaynes and Miss Dorothy Jean Gaynes called on Mrs. Jessie Givins Tuesday.  
Mrs. W. R. Mattison of Bodcaw spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. T. L. Gieghorn and family.  
Miss Vera Fowler of near Piney Grove who has been spending some time with her cousin, Miss Katie Good, returned home last week.  
Misses Jean and Mildred Givins spent Sunday before last, with Misses Glen Vida and Marie Andrews.  
W. M. Coffee of Texarkana called on Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erwin Monday.  
Mrs. Roy Collier and Mrs. Millican called on Mrs. T. L. Gieghorn Wednesday afternoon.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



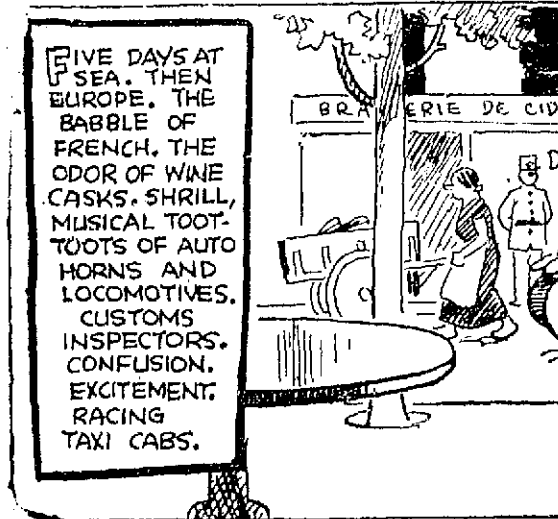
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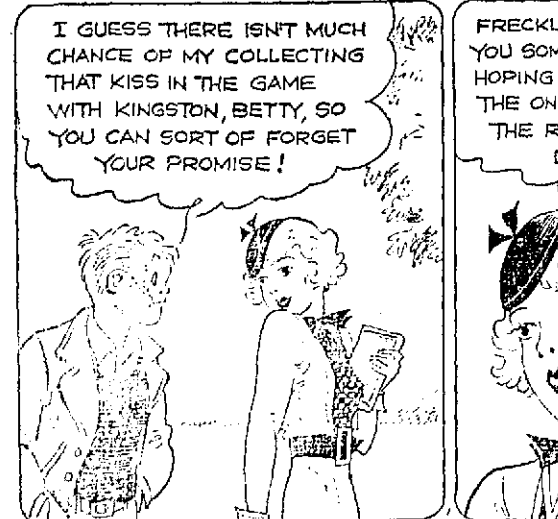
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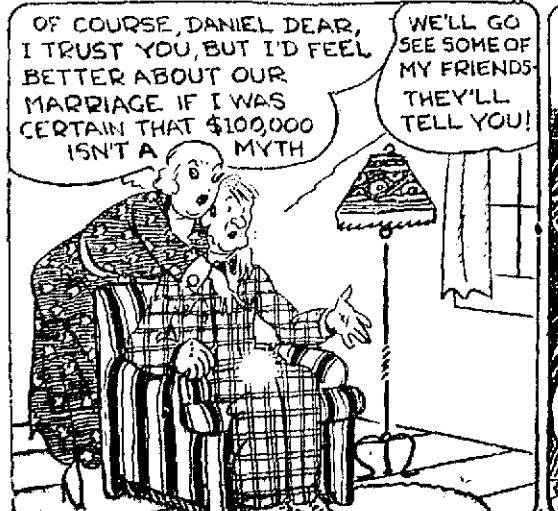
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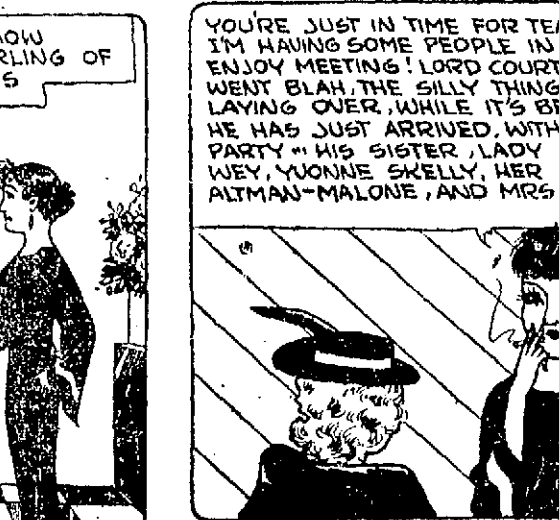


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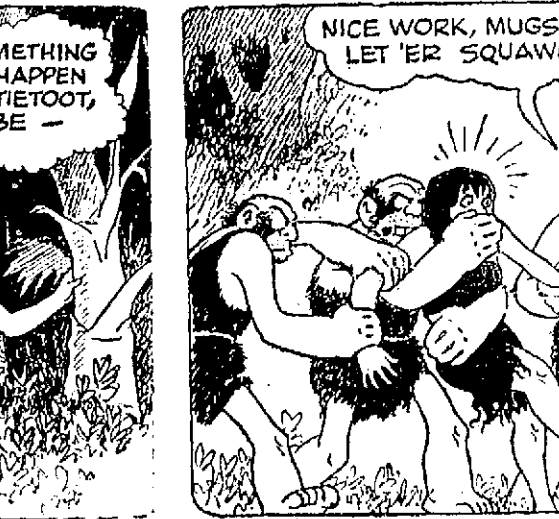


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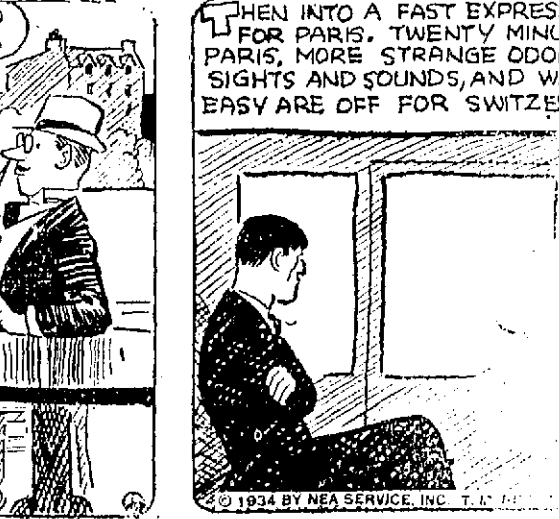
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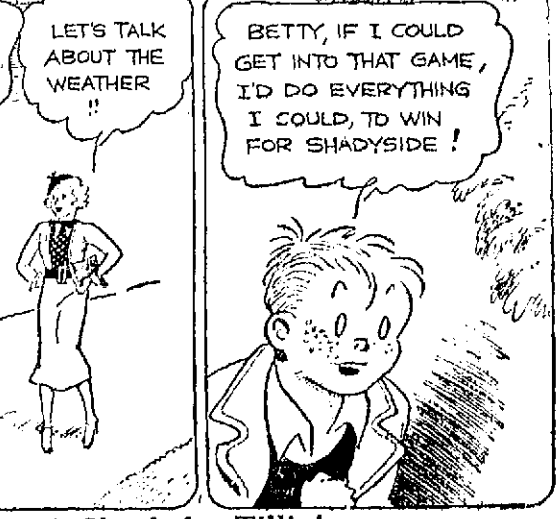
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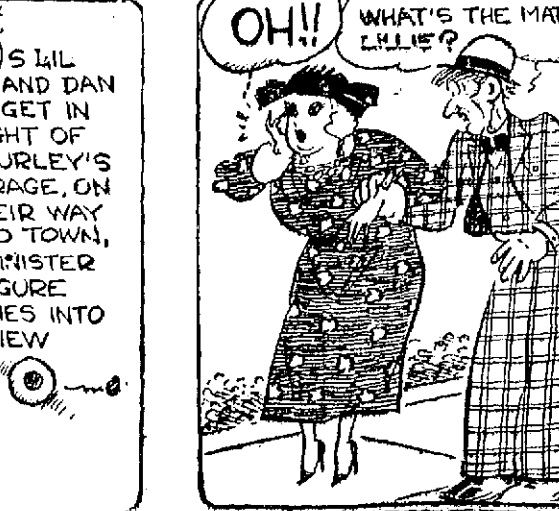
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A Drag!



A Shock for Tillie!



By WILLIAMS



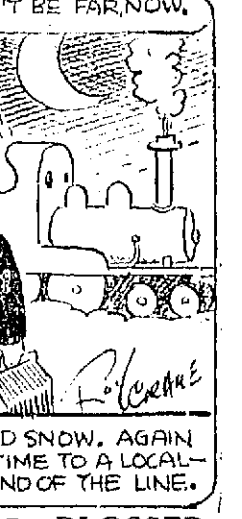
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By BLOSSER



By COWAN



# Sinclair Defeated 90,060 to 36,857 on Digest's Poll

## Final Count of Straw Vote Shows Republican 2-to-1 Winner

### A CLEAR MAJORITY

#### Merriam Beats Combined Vote in 26 of 28 Cali- fornia Cities

Frank F. Merriam leads Upton Sinclair about 2 1/2 to 1 and leads Raymond L. Haight more than 5 to 1 in the final returns of The Literary Digest's statewide California Poll on Governor, according to returns pub-



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# A Letter to the People From the Governor:

Vote for proposed Amendments Nos. 19 and 20, and protect yourselves against further or future increase in your rates of taxation, and against the sale of state bonds. These are known as "Futrell Amendments."

Leave it to the people to say whether or not taxes shall be raised or bonds issued. By putting these Amendments into the Constitution, the people will take into their own hands the powers that have been used to wreck this state.

If these Amendments are adopted, this State will never again become financially bankrupt.

**J. M. FUTRELL, Governor**

lished in this week's issue of the magazine.

Merriam, the Republican candidate to succeed himself, receives 90,060 votes, or 62.31 per cent of the grand total of 144,533 ballots tallied from the entire state.

Upton Sinclair, the Democratic nominee, gets 36,857 votes, or 25.5 per cent of the state total, while Raymond L. Haight who was defeated in the Republican primary and is now campaigning as a Progressive-Commonwealth candidate, has 16,890 votes cast for him, or 11.69 per cent of the poll's total tally.

Candidate	Party	Vote
Darcy	Communist	384
Dempster	Socialist	142
Haight	Progressive-Commonwealth	16,890
Merriam	Republican	90,060
Sinclair	Democrat	36,857
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Sam Darcy, the Communist candidate, receives 384 votes and Milen C. Dempster, the Socialist standard bearer, gets 142 ballots. The combined strength of these two is 0.5 per cent of the poll's total tabulation.

**G. O. P. Majority**

Merriam is shown receiving a clear majority of the balloting in all of the larger cities in the State except Fresno and Sacramento.

No other candidate has a majority vote in any community, according to a special analysis of the poll vote in "twenty-eight large and small communities representing every part of the state."

Governor Merriam makes his strongest showing in Riverside, Calif., where he is noted receiving 82.53 per cent of the ballots cast from that city.

San Pedro, the port of Los Angeles, gives Upton Sinclair his largest city strength in the poll, 41.23 per cent of the community's total vote.

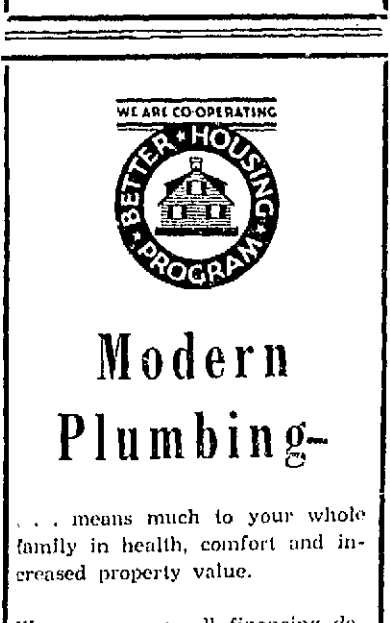
Raymond L. Haight is shown receiving 39.32 per cent of Fresno's ballots, which is his greatest strength in any city.

In Los Angeles, which contains more than a quarter of the state's population, and which is said to be the central battle ground of the current campaign, Merriam leads with 60.42 per cent of the city's vote in the poll returns, while Sinclair gets 27.73 per cent and Haight trails with 11.32 per cent.

Leads in Frisco

Merriam is well ahead of all other candidates also in San Francisco,

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# Bar Salary Law in Two Counties

**Officials Block Action—  
Election Steal on No.  
21 Forecast**

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# Draws 10 Years For Ford Threat



Confessing an attempt to extort \$5000 from Edsel Ford, Edward Lickwala, 20, above, will serve 10 years at hard labor in Leavenworth, Kan., federal prison, sentence falling in Detroit only a few hours after he was arrested. Within two months, Lickwala has separated from his wife, lost his job, tried suicide, and been sent to prison.

where the city's poll tally gives him 63.50 per cent of the community's vote to Sinclair's 26.50 per cent and Haight's 8.91 per cent.

**Charges that blank Literary Digest ballots have been bought up to influence the results of its polls are an old story to The Literary Digest, which does not take them any more seriously than they deserve to be taken. Sometimes the charge has been voiced by those on one side of a question on which The Literary Digest has taken a poll; sometimes it has come from both sides.**

"In California, Sinclair forces have charged that Merriam forces have paid twenty-five cents each for Literary Digest ballot. Merriam forces have ridiculed the charge.

"When The Literary Digest took its poll on prohibition in 1932 the ballot-buying charges were more complicated.

"At that time, some dyes charged that bootleggers were buying up Literary Digest ballots and marking them for repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment because they wished the country to go wet.

"At the same time, some were charged that bootleggers were buying up Literary Digest ballots and marking them against repeal because they wished the country to stay dry.

"All of this added to the excitement of the moment and to the gaiety of the nation, but, in 1933, when the American people were given a chance to vote officially on repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment, The Literary Digest poll was proved to be overwhelmingly accurate."

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# Louisiana Votes Bought at \$1 Each

**Long Faction Accused—  
But Says Walmsley  
Taught It How**

**NEW ORLEANS, La.**—(AP)—Robert Gomillion, 26-year-old star witness against four ward leaders of the Huey Long political organization charged with buying votes, testified Wednesday in criminal court that unregistered voters were hired out of the government transient bureau here at \$1 a head to vote for the victorious Long candidates in the September 11 congressional election.

Defense lawyers countered with the charge that Gomillion, registration clerk in the transient bureau, promoted a similar deal in the January majority election in which the rival Old Regular machine in New Orleans swamped the Long state of candidates.

Gomillion, born in Red Level, Ala., was on the stand all day in a preliminary hearing before Judge Frank T. Echeverria, and will resume his testimony Friday. Thursday is a local holiday.

The four charged with fraudulent election practices are Edward Burke, Long leader of the Second ward; William Farrell, Rudolph Heausler and Jake Cuccia, his lieutenants.

Defending them are Hugh Wilkerson, Long's former law partner, and Representative Edmund G. Burke and State Senator Fred Oser. Long leaders in the General Assembly.

Gomillion testified that Heausler gave him \$232 to hand out for votes at \$1 apiece, and that he was promised a job at \$250 a month with the State Highway Department. He said when he went to see Burke after the election about the money, he told him he'd have to wait awhile.

"He told me there wasn't anything he could do, that Mr. Long was out of the city—that Mr. Long was in Baton Rouge," Gomillion testified, adding that he never got the job.

Answering another question, Gomillion declared:

"I didn't know at the time there was any law against buying votes in the state of Louisiana."

Gomillion said he was guaranteed "protection" by the Long men, who he said told him "Long is a big shot; he can get anybody out of jail."

Gomillion and 11 others from the transient bureau have been held in the parish prison as material witnesses for the state since the investigation of the case began late in September.

# Lumber Code Goes to Highest Court

**Way Cleared for Final  
Disposition of NRA  
Controversy**

**BIRMINGHAM, Ala.**—(AP)—The National Industry Recovery Act was held unconstitutional Wednesday by Federal Judge W. I. Grubb, who dismissed an injunction to prevent the way for an immediate appeal to the United States Supreme Court to determine the validity of the statute.

Judge Grubb sustained the demurrer to the indictment offered by Jerome T. Fuller, attorney of Centerville, which was based on alleged unconstitutionality of the National Industrial Recovery Act and the code for the lumber industry.

The demurrer held that the NRA unlawfully delegates legislative and judicial powers to the president, and that it illegally deprived the lumber company of its property without due process of law. The defendant also contended the government had no authority to regulate the production of lumber because it is purely an intrastate activity.

**NOTICE**

**Proposed Initiative Act Submitted to the People of Hempstead County, Arkansas, by Initiative Petitions.**

Petitions have been filed in the office of the County Clerk, proposing Initiative Act No. 1 of Hempstead County, Arkansas, as follows:

**"INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1 OF HEMPSTEAD COUNTY, ARKANSAS**

**"An Act to Fix the Compensation and Expenses of County Officers and to Fix the Manner in Which Such Compensation and Salaries Shall be Paid and to Reduce the Cost of County Government, and for Other Purposes."**

Be it enacted by the people of Hempstead County, Arkansas:

Section 1. From and after January 1, 1935, the officers of Hempstead County, Arkansas, hereinafter named, shall receive and be paid out of the revenues of the County as hereinafter provided, the compensation and salaries herein provided, and nothing more.

Section 2. The county and probate judge, for his services and expenses as such judge and as ex-officio road commissioner, shall receive a salary of Twenty-seven Hundred and no/100 Dollars (\$2700.00) per year, and nothing more, payable out of the County General Fund, provided, however, that the Levy Court may authorize a part of the salary to be paid out of the Highway or Road Fund as now or hereafter allowed by law.

Section 3. The county judge shall do and perform all the duties now or hereafter imposed upon the county judge as ex-officio road commissioner.

Section 4. The Clerk of the Circuit Court shall receive as compensation and salary the sum of Twenty-seven Hundred and no/100 Dollars (\$2700.00) per year for performing all the duties of said office, either as Clerk of the Circuit Court, Ex-Officio Clerk of the Chancery Court, Ex-Officio Recorder or Commissioner in Chancery, as well as all other acts and duties, and shall receive no other or further compensation, perquisites, emoluments or fees, either directly or indirectly, for services rendered by reason of or as the result of holding the office.

Said clerk may employ one deputy at a salary of no more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per month, as herein provided.

If the work increases, the clerk may, with the approval of the Circuit Judge and a majority of the members of the Levy Court, employ an extra deputy at a salary of Eighteen and no/100 Dollars (\$18.00) per week for not more than sixteen weeks a year; provided such extra deputy may not be worked more than four weeks on any one approval; and, provided further, that the approval of said Judge and a majority of the members of the Levy Court may be obtained by mail or petition without the expense of assembling the Levy Court.

Section 5. The County Clerk shall receive as compensation and salary the sum of Twenty-seven Hundred Dollars (\$2700.00) per year for performing all duties of said office, either as Clerk of the County Court, Clerk of the Probate Court, Ex-Officio Clerk of the Juvenile Court, as well as other acts and duties, and shall receive no other or further compensation, perquisites, emoluments or fees, either directly or indirectly, for services rendered by reason of or as the result of holding the office.

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Section 6. The Sheriff of Hemp-

stead County, Arkansas, shall be ex-officio Tax Collector as now provided by law, and said Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector is not placed on a salary, but shall continue to render services and perform duties on a fee basis as hereinafter fixed. The fees for services to be performed by said Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector shall be only those hereinafter mentioned, and he shall not in any instance or in any wise, exceed the fees hereinafter mentioned and set forth.

Section 7. The Sheriff shall be allowed fees as follows:

For serving every capias, summons, seque facias, or attachment, for each defendant and garnishee . . . . . 50

For taking and entering every writ of habeas corpus, writ of bail or delivery bond . . . . . 50

For serving every writ of garnishment on every garnishee . . . . . 50

For serving a writ of injunction on each defendant . . . . . 1.00

For attending each Circuit or Chancery Court, per day . . . . . 3.00

For attending each County, Probate, Municipal, or Justice of the Peace Court, per day . . . . . 1.00

For calling each action at each time . . . . . 10

For calling each jury . . . . . 20

For calling each witness . . . . . 10

For committing a criminal or other person to jail . . . . . 50

For furnishing a prisoner, per day, when paid by the prisoner . . . . . 75

For serving habere facias possessionem, or attachment . . . . . 1.00

For serving every writ of execution . . . . . 75

For making, executing and subscribing a sheriff's deed, to be paid by the purchaser . . . . . 2.00

For executing a certificate of purchase for real estate under execution . . . . . 50

For every return of non est on a writ, original or judicial . . . . . 25

For return of nulla bona . . . . . 25

For executing a writ of inquiry for summoning a grand jury . . . . . 1.00

For summoning a petit jury, regular panel, selected by jury commissioners . . . . . 10.00

For summoning a special jury to assess damages on special venire . . . . . 2.50

For summoning each witness . . . . . 10

For each non est on subpoena . . . . . 10

For serving each notice or rule of court, notice to take depositions, or citations to executors, administrators or guardians . . . . . 50

For every trial of a civil or criminal case, or confession in open court . . . . . 30

For every trial in a capital case . . . . . 2.00

For executing each death warrant . . . . . 25.00

For mileage in serving each writ, process, notice, subpoena or rule, except county matters, for each mile circular . . . . . .05

For advertising goods or land for sale . . . . . 75

For returning each execution or attachment . . . . . 75

**The Best of Friends**

"Yes," said Mrs. Bloggs, who was discussing her next-door neighbor, "I got one 'ome on 'er properly yesterday. She was 'anging 'er washin' out on the line, and when I sees her old man's shirt, I says, 'Wat, 'as your 'usband joined the Fascists?' Prides 'erself on 'er washin', she does!"—The Humorist (London).

**Before It Breaks**

Janet "What do you do when you see an unusually beautiful girl?"

Anna—"I look for a while, then I get tired and lay the mirror down."—The Pathfinder.

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# Notice of Closing Waters

Notice is hereby given that the following body of water, located in Hempstead County, Arkansas, has been, by order of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, closed to the use of seines, trammel and gill nets, to-wit: **Mud Lake.**

Dated this 31st day of October, 1934.

**ARKANSAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION**  
By Guy Amsler, Secretary

# Learn From Doctors How to Treat Colds

**Four Points to Remember**

As colds cause more loss of time and money than any other disease, every one should learn what modern medical science teaches as to their proper treatment. Your doctor has the following objectives:

First—To relieve the congestion in the nose and throat, thus aborting, or lightening the attack and relieving the symptoms caused by the congestion—Calotabs, the improved calomel compound tablets, accomplish this by attracting the excess blood to the bowels.

Second—To help the kidneys wash out of the blood the cold-poisons which cause the chilly sensation, feverishness, aches, and mean feeling—Calotabs are diuretic to the kidneys, assisting them in ridding the blood of the poisons.

Third—To expel the germ-laden mucus and toxins from the bowels, thus preventing their absorption into the blood—Calotabs accomplish this thoroughly.

Fourth—To keep the bile of the liver flowing freely through and out of the intestines, thus relieving the biliousness and constipation, which attend and aggravate a cold. As Calotabs contain calomel, they promote the flow of bile.

Thus, Calotabs meet these four important objectives of medical treatment for colds. One or two Calotabs at bed time, with a glass of sweet milk or water, is usually sufficient, but should be repeated the third or fifth night if needed. The milk tones down the action, making it milder, if desired.

Why risk doubtful or make-shift remedies? Get a family package of Calotabs containing full directions, only twenty-five cents; trial package ten cents, at your dealer's. (Adv.)

his office for the preceding month as defined in this act shall fail or refuse to do so, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer, within five days, to report such fact in writing to the County Judge, Circuit Judge and Prosecuting Attorney.

Section 15. Each county officer whose salary is fixed by this Act, except those receiving no fees, shall keep in a well-bound book an itemized daily statement of all sums earned by the office for services rendered, showing therein the nature of the respective services rendered and the sums accruing therefor. At the end of each month said officer shall make and add to said statement the totals of each page and of the whole sums earned during said month, and shall attach to the said statement his certificate under oath that the said totals represent the full, true and correct amounts of all fees, costs, commissions, perquisites and compensation or other revenues earned by his office from all sources whatsoever during the said month. The system of keeping such books, the books to be kept and the form of statements to be made, shall first be approved by the State Auditor, Department of Public Safety, and it will be to audit the books and reports of such officers. Said statements shall be open at all times to public inspection. The said officers shall, at the expiration of their terms of office, deliver the said books to the County Clerk, who shall preserve the same as a public record.

Section 16. Any and all purchases or contracts for supplies or equipment necessary for the conduct of the several county offices and institutions shall hereafter be made by the County Court, in the open market, upon invited bids and in each instance from the lowest responsible bidder. In case of emergency or immediate need, supplies or equipment may be purchased or contracted for in amounts not exceeding \$25.00 in the aggregate in any one month without first inviting bids therefor. The County Court, upon requisition of each county officer, working for a salary herein provided, shall furnish stationery, books, records, stamps, furniture and equipment, and other supplies and facilities requisite for the proper conduct of the respective offices and institutions, except as otherwise herein provided.

Section 17. After all salaries and expense claims have been paid, as provided in this Act, the surplus, if any, at the end of the fiscal year, shall be transferred to the County General Fund.

Section 18. The various provisions and parts of this Act are hereby declared to be severable, and if any provision or part should be declared unconstitutional by a court of last resort, the same shall not invalidate or affect the remainder of the Act.

Section 19. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith shall be and they are hereby repealed and this Act shall be and become effective on January 1, 1935.

Said petitions appear to be in form required by law and are signed by the requisite number of qualified electors.

Therefore, notice is hereby given that the question of adopting or rejecting said proposed Initiative Act will be referred to the people in the manner provided by law at the next General Election to be held on November 6, 1934, and will appear on the official ballots in the following form:

**"INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1 OF HEMPSTEAD COUNTY**

**"An Act to fix the Compensation and Expenses of County Officers and to fix the manner in which such Compensation and Salaries shall be paid and to reduce the cost of County Government, and for other purposes."**

**FOR INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1 AGAINST INITIATIVE ACT NO. 1**

Each elector of the County may vote for or against adopting said proposed act.

WITNESS our hands and the seal of said County, in the Town of Washington, Hempstead County, Arkansas, on this 5th day of September, 1934.

H. M. STEPHENS, County Judge.  
A. C. ANDERSON, County Clerk.  
(Seal of County Court)



## Hints on the Use of Baking Powder

### Recipes Offered for White Cake, Muffins and Biscuits

Always sift flour and K. C. Baking Powder together at least three times. The more sifting, the lighter, finer texture the cakes, biscuits, etc., will be.

To mix a cake, first cream butter and sugar thoroughly, then add yolks. If used. Then, to this mixture, alternately add moisture and the flour that has been sifted with baking powder and stir until smooth and glossy, adding beaten egg whites after thoroughly mixing.

For cakes, have your oven slow to moderate at first, until the cake is fully risen; then increase the heat, so

as to just brown slightly. Here are a few choice recipes. You will like them.

**K. C. Everyday White Cake**  
1/2 cup butter (4 oz.), 1 cup granulated sugar (8 oz.), 1/2 cup milk, 2 cups flour (8 oz.), 2 level teaspoonsful K. C. Baking Powder, Whites 3 eggs, 1 teaspoon vanilla extract.

**K. C. Bran Muffins**  
2 1/2 cups uncooked bran (3 1/2 oz.), 2 cups flour (8 oz.), 1 1/2 teaspoonsful salt, 1 1/2 cups milk, 1 1/2 level teaspoonsful K. C. Baking Powder, 4 level teaspoonsful sugar (2 oz.), 3 level teaspoonsful melted fat (1 1/2 oz.).

Note: Permitting the bran to soak in the milk for 1 to 3 hours before adding the other ingredients, adds greatly to its palatability. Bake 35 to 40 minutes at 350 to 375 degrees.

**K. C. Baking Powder Biscuits**  
2 cups flour (8 oz.), 2 level teaspoonsful salt, 1 1/2 cups milk, 1 1/2 level teaspoonsful K. C. Baking Powder, 4 level teaspoonsful sugar (2 oz.), 3 level teaspoonsful melted fat (1 1/2 oz.).

**K. C. Doughnuts**  
1 cup granulated sugar (8 oz.), 1 cup sweet milk, 3 level teaspoonsful melted butter (1 1/2 oz.), 3 cups flour (12 oz.), 1 teaspoon mace, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 eggs, whites and yolks beaten separately, 2 level teaspoonsful K. C. Baking Powder.

## LAXATIVE WOMEN LIKE Easy On Delicate Organs

Women because of organic conditions need laxatives more frequently, and must avoid harsh, upsetting action and the after-effect discomfort of ordinary laxatives. Because you chew delicious Fennel-mint, the mint chewing gum laxative, it is mixed with helpful saliva juices, just like your food. Thus it goes into the system gradually. There is no mass of laxative to hit your system suddenly and upset its delicate balance. This makes Fennel-mint ideally gentle for women, yet completely thorough. Doctors prescribe the laxative in non-habit forming Fennel-mint. It is for pleasant correction without upset to diet or appetite. Delay is dangerous. Today, get back on schedule and stay there. Delicious Fennel-mint, 12c and 25c at Coughguts.

## MONT'S SUGAR CURE For Pork and Beef

Our Sugar Cure is a formula that cures meat quickly; costs no more than the old salt method and is much less trouble. Making all cuts tasty and delicious. The fine flavor with attractive, brown cured color makes a more ready sale for those who butcher for market.

Owing to the increased demand, we have installed an electric mixer this year. Printed directions furnished free with each purchase.

**MONT'S SEED STORE**  
110 E. 2nd St. Hope, Ark.

## Old Liberty

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Steve Bristow on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Orville Rosenbaum, a recent bride. The bride was presented with many beautiful and useful gifts.

A birthday party given by Miss Ruby Evans, Saturday night was well attended.

## STOP GETTING UP

Nights—Backache

Flush Kidneys of Waste Matter, Poisons and Acid

When your kidneys are clogged and your bladder is irritated and passage scanty and often smarts and burns you need Gold Medal Hairlem Oil Capsules, a fine harmless stimulant and diuretic that always works and costs but 35 cents at any modern store. It's one good, safe way to put healthy activity into kidneys and bladder—you'll sleep sound the whole night through. But be sure and get GOLD MEDAL—right from Hairlem in Holland—you are assured of results.

Other symptoms of weak kidneys and irritated bladder are backache, puffy eyes, leg cramps, moist palms, burning or scanty passage.

## Bartell Is Bought by Terry's Giants

\$75,000 Paid for Phillies' Star Shortstop and 300 Batter

**INSIDE**—Bartell is a deal estimated by club officials to involve \$100,000 in cash and players. The New York Giants Wednesday night announced acquisition of Dick Bartell, star shortstop of the Philadelphia Nationals, as the first big move toward bolstering the former world champions for 1935.

The Giants turned over four players and an estimated \$75,000 in cash for Bartell, outbidding at least two other National League clubs, St. Louis and Chicago. The players going to the Phillies are Utility infielder John (Blondy) Ryan, Third Baseman Johnny Vezzer, Outfielder George Watkins and John Puzello, right handed pitcher who performed with the Richmond, Va., and Nashville, Tenn. clubs last season.

Bartell, a "fighting" type of player and much admired for his aggressiveness, is 27. He has been in the big leagues for seven years. He broke in with Pittsburgh in 1927, after being picked up from the semi-pro ranks at Butte, Mont.

He was traded to the Phillies after the 1930 season. He has a lifetime big league batting mark over .300 and probably will be the leadoff man for the 1935 Giants. His presence at short will cause Travis Jackson to shift to third.

Since their collapse in the closing stages of the last pennant race, the Giants have invested \$115,000 cash in new talent, according to Jim Tierney, club secretary.

## Birth Papers Are Aid in Getting Job

Youngster Must Prove He Is Over 14, as Employer Is Liable

**LITTLE ROCK**—According to the Arkansas child labor laws, no child "under the age of 14 shall be employed or permitted to work in any remunerative occupation except that during school vacation children under 14 may be employed by their parents or guardians in occupations owned or controlled by them." The employer must at his peril ascertain the age of any child he may employ, and the surest way of ascertaining this age is from a certified copy of the birth certificate.

Further the laws read that "no child under 16 shall be employed or permitted to work in any occupation dangerous to life and limb, or injurious to the health and morals of such child; or in any saloon, resort or bar where intoxicating liquors are sold or dispensed; nor shall any child under the age of 16 be employed upon the stage or in any theatre or concert hall, or in connection with any theatrical performance or other exhibition or show, nor shall any such child be employed who has not passed four yearly grades in the public school or the equivalent thereof."

Courts in the past have convicted employers of negligence when they have employed children under 16, therefore, it is to the interest of the employer to be sure of the age of the child. Prima facie proof of age would be a certified copy of the child's birth certificate. Employment certificates are issued by the State Bureau of Labor and Statistics, and to receive that certificate, a birth registration card would prove the way without further proof as to age and eligibility for it.

Because of this law, few firms employ young boys without demanding to see a copy of the birth certificate. Employers cannot afford to take the chance of hiring boys under 16 years of age. The "Register Your Baby" campaign now being undertaken by the Federal Bureau of the Census, the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the State Board of Health, and the Arkansas Emergency Relief Administration provides the opportunity for the children born in the past twelve months to have these certificates when they are most needed.

## 13,366 Bales Are Ginned in County

Against 12,784 Last Year —Nevada County 5,403 Against 9,992

There were 13,366 bales of cotton ginned in Hempstead county of the crop of 1934 as of October 18, as compared with 12,784 bales ginned to the same date in 1933, according to the October 18 report of W. H. Etter, Jr., federal reporter for Hempstead county.

5,403 for Nevada County  
The census report of the Department of Commerce shows that there were 5,403 bales of cotton ginned in Nevada county from the crop of 1934 prior to October 18, as compared with 9,992 bales ginned prior to October 18 from the crop of 1933.

Two tons of roses are required to produce one pound of attar of roses.

## BLACK-DRAUGHT For CONSTIPATION

"I am 71 years old and have used Theodor's Black-Draught about forty years," writes Mr. W. J. Vanover, of Rome, Ky. "We are never without it. I take it as a purgative when I am bilious, dizzy and have swimming in my head. Black-Draught relieves this, and helps me in many ways. . . . Keep a package of this old, reliable, purely vegetable laxative in your home, and take it for prompt relief at the first sign of constipation."

## Baby Registration Proceeds Rapidly

Cards Arriving by Hundreds at Federal Census Bureau

**LITTLE ROCK**—Babies fat and skinny, tall and small, black and white, are being reported by the hundreds every day to the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the State Board of Health.

The first Arkansas "Register Your Baby" campaign being undertaken by the Federal Bureau of the Census, the State Board of Health and the Arkansas Emergency Relief Administration has made Arkansas "birth registration" conscious. Babies born during the past twelve months are the ones that the campaign seeks to register. Cards were mailed by the Bureau of the Census to every family in Arkansas, asking for information on children born during the past year. From the way parents are responding, they wish to be sure that their children have no trouble with their "first citizenship papers."

But these youngsters are not the only ones the Bureau of Vital Statistics is registering nowadays. Mamas and papas, aunts and uncles don't want to feel left out, and many of them have been calling at the Registrar's office to make arrangements for

birth certificates. The old folks usually have to go through a lot of red tape to prove they deserve birth certificates. If their records are not already on file, and few of them are, since the Arkansas law for birth registration was not effective until 1913. That is one reason why these same aunts and uncles invariably go home and make sure that little nephew's and little niece's births have been reported.

They learned that the present day baby, unlike the baby of thirty years ago, can be registered very easily. And so parents are urged to fill out and return the cards they have received from the Bureau of the Census immediately, if they have not already done so. The cards are to be dropped without postage into the mails. When they reach the Bureau of the Census they are forwarded to Little Rock, and there checked against birth registration records now on file. Where births are found not already registered, steps are immediately taken to have them registered.

## State Revenue Up 100,000, October

\$943,773 Against \$857,543 Year Ago—Gas Tax Also Gains

**LITTLE ROCK**—Revenue collected by the State Department of Revenues

in October totaled \$943,773.39, as compared with \$857,543.93 for October of last year, Commissioner Earl Wiseman reported Wednesday.

The gasoline tax yielded \$700,075.22, as compared with \$636,654.80 last year.

## MALARIA

Speedy Relief of Chills and Fever

Don't let Malaria tear you apart with its macking chills and burning fever. Trust to no home-made or more makeshift remedies. Take the medicine prepared especially for Malaria—Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic gives real relief from Malaria because it's a scientific combination of tasteless quinine and tonic iron. The quinine kills the Malarial infection in the blood. The iron builds up the system and helps fortify against further attack. At the first sign of any attack of Malaria take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. Better still take it regularly during the Malaria season to ward off the disease. Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is absolutely harmless and tastes good.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic now comes in two sizes, 50c and \$1. The \$1 size contains 2 1/2 times as much as the 50c size and gives you 25% more for your money. Get a bottle today at any drug store.

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500 Outside Rooms

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**OUTING**  
10 Yards **95c**  
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It will pay you to see our wide selection of splendid hat values.

Yard Wide  
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10c Yard  
Vat Dyed  
Here's a real buy. Yard wide Prints in attractive designs and colors. All are vat dyed.

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Melton Jackets

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An ideal Jacket for outdoor wear. Made from heavy Melton cloth with zipper fronts. Blue. Better see these.



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Winter **69c** Weight

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Dress Shirts

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Men and Boys' full cut dress shirts in all new patterns. Colors are vat dyed. At this low price you will want several.



Children's Stockings

All Sizes **10c** pr. Ribbed

Feather Ticking

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**OIL CLOTH**

46-inch width, yd. **20c** New Patterns

Full 46-inch width Oil Cloth in many new and attractive designs and colors. Just the thing to cover your kitchen table.

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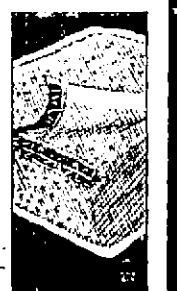
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BLANKETS

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The best blanket buy in town. Good, warm, double blankets. Attractive. Cotton.



Work Shoes

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Men's good quality work shoes with plain toes. Well made.



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220 Weight

**79c**

98c Values

Good quality overalls made of 220 weight blue denim. They're regular 98c values.

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**49c**

to

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## Grocery Specials

COFFEE GOLD PLUME 3 Lbs. 74c 1 Lb. 25c

APPLES Fancy Jonathan—Doz. 15c

Tomato Juice—full pint 12c

LETTUCE

6c head

LEMONS

14c Dozen

CELERY

10c Stalk

HYDROX COOKIES

28c Pound

PEACHES

18c

CABBAGE

3c Pound

POTATOES

10 Lbs. 25c

SUGAR

10 Lbs. 53c

No. 2 1/2 Can SPAGHETTI

14c

Camel Brand Pitted DATES

15c Package

## —MEAT SPECIALS

STEAK

10c Pound

HAMBURGER

7 1/2c Pound

PORK CHOPS

17c Pound

BAKED HAM

49c Pound

STEW MEAT

5c Pound

LIVER

10c Pound

HAM

18c Pound

BOILED HAM

42c Pound

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